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## GUNS PREVAIL

**T**HE Jibe that the now exiled Siamese Police Chief, General Phao Sryanond was handicapped as a politician because he never had such heavy guns as Marshal Sarit's Army, has been proved wrong. Marshal Sarit's guns—tanks—have prevailed and the ruling triumvirate of Phao, Sarit and Premier Marshal Pibul Songgram, has given way to the virtually absolute authority of plump Thai Army Supreme, Marshal Sarit.

What has happened in fact is that Sarit has stopped the Thai Police Chief from aggregating more power at the expense of a Prime Minister whose influence has been dwindling rapidly. His decline gained momentum after the February elections when widespread demonstrations erupted following a most extraordinary swing in results which undulated first in favour of the Government, then sharply away and then equally sharply in reverse again.

## POPULAR HERO

**P**UBLIC perplexity gave way to suspicion and there were widespread rumours that better papers were satisfied by the Government in an effort to retain a substantial majority of the elective seats. Riots broke out. Dissatisfied students marched on the Premier and laid before him their demands. It was Marshal Sarit, who made a prompt appearance and handled carefully and judiciously a most inflammable situation. He became as a result something of a popular hero.

It is necessary at this juncture to point out that this was no extraordinary manifestation of political consciousness by a hitherto politically apathetic public. Between 1945 and Marshal Songram's accession to the Premiership in 1951 there have been no less than three coups and two civil wars. Political organisation has admittedly been slow to materialise but then the existence of political parties was only legalised two years ago and it is not proposed to abolish nominated membership in the Assembly (exactly half) until 1962 by which time it was thought the country would be better able to enjoy the fruits of "fuller democracy."

## DECISIVE TURN

**W**HEN the political parties were legalised, all government Assemblies were automatically co-opted into the Manangkasila Party. Marshal Pibul Songram changed his title to "Premier" and a reward for accepting curtailment of his authority, the Police Chief General Phao became Secretary-General of the Party. At this stage it was apparent that whatever "general elections" were to be held before 1962 none could unseat the author of policy which aimed at keeping Pibul Songram Premier until 1962.

However, events took a decisive turn after the February elections. The Premier displeased the King by arresting the editor of a royalist newspaper and in the meantime the Army became more and more restive about the politically ambitious Phao whose wings Songram was apparently reluctant to clip. The pretext for action by the Army came when the Premier demanded that Cabinet ministers give up "commercial posts" or resign.

## NO CHANGES

**T**HREE Army leaders in the Cabinet including Marshal Sarit, then Defence Minister, resigned. They were followed by 61 Army men occupying nominated Assembly seats. This gave the Opposition a majority. Songram set in motion a slow process of demotion for Phao which was completed abruptly and unceremoniously by Monday night's coup.

No major changes in foreign policy are expected from Major Sarit. Internally it is thought that he is interested in the rise of the Unionist Party which is right-wing, generally pro-Western, anti-communist. The former High Commissioner of the former British Colonial Office, Sir Leslie Munro, has denied this interest but as one observer said recently: "It remains to be seen whether he changes his mind."

# MALAYA ADMITTED TO UN

## Sir Leslie Munro Elected New President Of General Assembly

**N**ew York, Sept. 17. The United Nations today opened its 12th General Assembly by electing Sir Leslie Munro of New Zealand as its new President and Malaya as its 82nd member.

The 56-year-old New Zealander, formerly a lawyer and journalist, will preside over the three-month session which has already been dubbed the "Disarmament Assembly" as the question is expected to be its number one issue.

Sir Leslie, elected by a vote of 77 votes to one, with three abstentions, after the withdrawal of the only other candidate, Dr Charles Malik of the Lebanon, immediately stressed the importance of the disarmament issue in his first speech from the President's rostrum.

"Time is not on our side," he said. "It is not necessary for me to stress the urgency of the problem nor to dwell on its formidable difficulties."

"Surely we must all share the conviction that the need to reach a sound and workable agreement, however limited it may be in its initial stages, becomes more pressing with every increase in the enormously destructive power of modern weapons."

### Controversial

Other controversial problems such as the Middle East, Algeria, Hungary and Cyprus will be discussed at the new session when today's formalities are completed.

Mr Selwyn Lloyd of Britain, Mr John Foster Dulles of the United States, Mr Andrei Gromyko of the Soviet Union and about 40 other foreign ministers were present in the huge auditorium.

Prince Wan Walthayakon of Thailand, President of the 11th Assembly, who opened the meeting, paid tribute to Britain, France and Israel for complying with United Nations resolutions to get out of Egypt—one of the "tragic situations" which dominated the last session.

## 118 More Triad Suspects Arrested

A further 118 suspected members of triad societies have been detained by the Criminal Investigation Department of the Hong Kong Police in the past 48 hours.

Raids on Hongkong Island resulted in the arrest of 58 persons whilst 60 persons were taken into custody in Kowloon. Those charged with being members of illegal societies, will appear at the Central Magistracy tomorrow and at the Kowloon Magistracy today and tomorrow.

### Civilian Defence

Tunis, Sept. 17. The Grand Mufti of Tunisia today announced the setting up of a committee for the defence of Algerian civilians.

The Grand Mufti informed the press that the committee was non-political and was concerned solely with the safeguarding of human dignity. He said the Committee would shortly make an appeal to the League for Human Rights and to the civilian world—France—Press.

He said their response reflected great credit on them and redounded to their honour and good name." Their action was "warmly appreciated by the world at large," he added.

"The Suez Canal was cleared in less time and at less expense than expected," Prince Wan said, "and the United Nations is to be congratulated on this fine performance."

"It is also a general source of satisfaction that the Government of Egypt has accepted the compulsory jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice in legal disputes arising between the parties to the Constantinople Convention of 1888 on respect of its provisions.

### Democratic

Referring to the Hungarian question, the other "tragic situation" of the 11th session, Prince Wan said compliance with the Assembly's resolutions had "yet to come."

He recalled that the Assembly had appointed himself as its special representative "to negotiate for the achievement of the objectives of those resolutions."

"Indeed, the freedom of the Hungarian people as a problem of humanity is a cause which all members of the United Nations should have at heart," he declared, "and it should be possible to harmonise the actions of nations to this end."

Prince Wan recalled that the 11th Assembly had called for a "peaceful, just and democratic solution" for Algeria and Cyprus and he said it was his "earnest hope that further progress" would be made towards this end at the new session.

Prior to Malaya's admission Mr Lloyd said, some people had congratulated Malaya upon having won her fight for independence. "That fight was not against us, the British," he declared.

### Fourth Occasion

"We have as a matter of deliberate policy sought to guide the peoples of the British Empire to self-dependence and independence."

"We have not always agreed with them upon timing or precise method, but it has been and is our declared and deliberate course of policy, not forced upon us, but voluntarily undertaken and we are proud of it."

This was the fourth occasion since the UN was created in 1946 that Britain had had the honour of proposing a newly-independent member of the Commonwealth for UN membership and it was her intention that there should be other such memorable occasions in the future.

He extended Britain's "heartfelt good wishes" to Malaya.

Mr Casey said there had been over generations a "very close relationship between Malaya and Australia."

He had just come from representing Australia at Malaya's independence celebrations, Mr Casey recalled.

### More To Come

He had been "one of many proud witnesses of the achievement of nationhood of a people who in Australia like to believe we have contributed something to developing over recent years."

Mr Casey referred to the emergence in Malaya of other Commonwealth members and he said there were "a number still to come"—Reuter.

## Russian Jet Plane Too Noisy For London Airport

**L**ondon, Sept. 17. The British Government today asked Russia to keep its TU-104 jet airliners away from London Airport during the night because they make so much noise.



### TU-104 BREAKS TILES

The TU-104 which carried Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko to New York was headed across the Atlantic for London when the Ministry of Civil Aviation made its action known.

The jet airliner will have to stop over at Keflavik, Iceland.

Russia already had been refused permission to land jets at Idlewild International Airport in New York because of the noise.

Instead, the jets were diverted to McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey.

The Ministry revealed that it got complaints from residents that the TU-104's takeoff from London on its outward journey last week caused tiles to fall

**THE WEATHER:** Moderate E. winds. Fair. Winds becoming light and variable later today. N.E. winds with cloudy weather and occasional rain may reach Hongkong late this evening.

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## Hongkong Refugee Problem

### To Be Discussed

(From Our Own Correspondent)

**L**ondon, Sept. 17. The United Nations General Assembly will discuss specifically for the first time next month the Chinese refugee problem in Hongkong.

The Assembly, which was formally given the responsibility to deal with the problem last year, will have before it the report of Dr Auguste Lindt, UN High Commissioner for Refugees.

He will return to London next Saturday for further talks on refugee problems.

Dr Lindt, a former Swiss observer in UNO, succeeds Dr J. G. van Heuven Goedhart, who was UNO High Commissioner for Refugees from 1951.

But several girls began playing with it and throwing rocks at it.

When one of the stones hit the shell, it exploded, killing 14 of the children immediately and injuring three others.

## 14 CHILDREN KILLED BY SHELL

Jerusalem, Israel, Sept. 17.

A shell from the 1948 Arab-Israeli war exploded in a field today, killing 14 school children.

The accident occurred when a large group of Arab children, ranging in age from 9 to 13, were crossing a field toward their village of Sandalo near the Jordanian border.

When they found the shell, an older boy in the group warned them to keep away from it.

But several girls began playing with it and throwing rocks at it.

When one of the stones hit the shell, it exploded, killing 14 of the children immediately and injuring three others.

### FRENCH TYPE

Shrapnel showed the shell was of an 81 millimetre French type used by Arab armies during the Palestine war in 1948. Apparently, the shell had been lying in the field ever since.

First to arrive on the scene following the explosion was the children's school teacher. She took the children to a nearby hospital and notified police of the accident.

Police investigating the accident said a farmer first found the shell several days ago, but had failed to report it. They said they were looking for him to question him about it.

### UNITED PRESS

Stanford, Conn., Sept. 17. Thieves who robbed a house under construction weren't satisfied with taking everything but the kitchen sink. They also took that.—United Press.

### EVEN THE SINK!

Three men who robbed a house under construction weren't satisfied with taking everything but the kitchen sink.

They also took that.—United Press.

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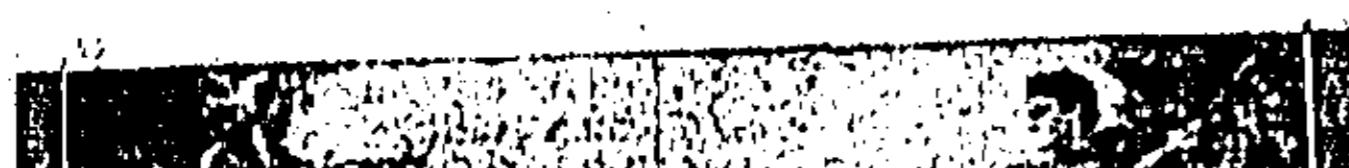
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## DOLLAR GAP REAPPEARS

## Gaitskell Expresses Concern

London, Sept. 17. Hugh Gaitskell, leader of the British Labour Party, said today that the reappearance of the dollar gap between America and the rest of the world was probably more serious than events in the Middle East.

Mr Gaitskell, an economist and former Chancellor of the Exchequer, was addressing an American Chamber of Commerce lunch here. He expressed concern at current American economic developments and warned that a recession in the United States would have serious consequences for other countries.

## Most Serious

The Labour leader said he regarded the return of the dollar gap as potentially the most serious development in the international situation in recent months.

"It is probably more serious than the events in Syria or elsewhere in the Middle East," he said. "I sincerely hope that the governments of the West, and especially the Government of the United States, are giving proper attention to this problem."

For the past five years, because of massive American payments in defence and economic aid, the rest of the world has been able to accumulate gold and dollar balances. But this phase seemed to have come to an end, and experts were warning that the change was temporary.

## Stationary

"The change is due to the fact that the purchases by the rest of the world of American goods are increasing more rapidly than purchases by America from the rest of the world," Mr Gaitskell said.

This reflected the fact that at present American production was stationary while production elsewhere was expanding.

Should United States production actually turn down the consequences might be much more serious than they were when this happened in 1953-1954. Then the decline in American demand for goods was offset by a large increase in American government payments overseas, and partly because commodity prices were sustained by a sharp rise in demand elsewhere.

"Today one cannot see much sign of these balancing factors," Mr Gaitskell said.—Cina Mail Special.

## Lions Chased From Jungle By Mosquitoes

New Delhi, Sept. 17. Pesky mosquitoes have driven the king of the jungle out of his jungle according to reports received today from the Western India State of Saurashtra.

Hungry and homeless, the dancing lions which normally stay in the famous Gir Reserve, have taken to stealing cattle in nearby villages.

Ironically, Indian law protects the lions from human hunters. But neither law nor natural strength saved them from mosquitoes.

Villagers welcome the lions because they frighten thieves from invading the fields.

Naturalists believe the lions will return to their forest reserve after the rainy season. — United Press.

## THE HARD WAY

London, Sept. 17. Motorcycle policeman Trevor Hughes got his man the hard way in an 80-mile-per-hour car chase today.

His motorcycle hit the car's rear. The impact flipped Hughes onto the roof of the car. He captured the thief. — United Press.

## THE SUEZ CANAL LANDING



This picture depicting the assault on Port Said, Egypt, on November 6, 1956, painted by Mr William Herbert Lane, an Admiralty artist, will be sent to Malta to commemorate the landing by the 46 Royal Marine Commando. The incident depicted is the first occasion on which helicopters were used as assault transport. In the background is the statue of Ferdinand de Lesseps which was later destroyed by the Egyptians. — Keystone Photo.

## ROCKET GOING UP 4,000 MILES To Be Fired From Space Platform

Washington, Sept. 17.

The Air Force announced today it would fire a four-stage rocket over the Pacific this month to an altitude of 1,000 to 4,000 miles—the highest point a man-made object ever reached.

To cancel out at least part of the earth's gravitational pull, the rocket will be carried to 100,000 feet over Eniwetok Atoll by a balloon-supported platform before it is fired into outer space.

The Air Force first announced the programme earlier this year and labelled it "Project Far Side." This gave rise to reports that an attempt would be made to reach the moon, with the rocket circling the satellite and travelling to the side of the moon never seen by man.

## EXPLORATORY

The Air Force said today that the "exploratory research effort" would be made "the latter part of September" to obtain scientific data "on the upper atmosphere at an altitude of from 1,000 to 4,000 miles." It stressed that no attempt would be made to establish an earth satellite.

The Air Force said the project had no connection with atomic energy programmes and that the Atomic Energy Commission was not taking part. The Commission announced on Sunday that new nuclear tests would be conducted in the Pacific next April.

If the Air Force rocket reaches even 1,000 miles it will far outstrip all altitude records.

The Air Force rocket will carry a small but powerful radio transmitter to inform scientists on the ground about cosmic rays, the earth's magnetic field, and other areas of scientific interest. — United Press.

## Ban Lifted

Tehran, Sept. 17. The government has decided to lift a ban on the use of the word "Persia" imposed by the late Reza Shah, father of the present Shah, who also asked foreigners to refer to his country as "Iran."

A Persian government decision announced today allows the use of either word. It was taken to avoid confusion between Iran and Iraq and to help foreigners who, forgetting the ban, continued to use the word "Persia." — China Mail Special.

Djakarta, Sept. 17. A Djakarta newspaper declared today that Indonesia "once again played traitor to democracy" by failing to condemn Russian intervention in eastern Hungary.

The Daily Telegraph today said that in view of the Ghana Government's decision, it had ordered Colvin not to return to Ghana to face trial. If the Ghana Government reversed its decision, Colvin would return with Shawcross, who had promised that his client would go back to Ghana to appear in court, the paper said. — France Presse.

## AND THE NAVY SCRAP THEIR MISSILE-TRITON

Washington, Sept. 17.

The Navy, apparently spurred by the Defence Department economy drive, cancelled development of its long-range Triton guided missile today after spending \$24 million on the project.

The Triton was to have been powered by a ram-jet engine and launched at supersonic speed from ships against distant land targets.

The Navy gave no reason for wiping out the missile programme except to say that the cancellation resulted "from an overall review of the Navy's surface-to-surface missile programme."

## ECONOMY ORDER

London, Sept. 17. The British Government today received a note from the Ghana Government, which has forbidden well-known London lawyer, Christopher Shawcross, to enter the country to defend a British newcomer charged with contempt of court.

The Commonwealth Ministry said the note was being studied and that the British Government would shortly answer it. The British High Commissioner in Accra, Sir Ian MacLennan, yesterday asked the Ghana Government for additional details on its decision to bar Shawcross, who is defending "Daily Telegraph" correspondent, Ian Colvin.

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## HOPE TAKES A PLUNGE . . .

Once it sold for 1500 guineas . . . in 1942 it fetched 90 guineas . . . now it faces obscurity

**I**T was in Room Number 18 at the Tate Gallery. The old man had been sitting in the same chair for more than an hour. "Oh, gracious," he sighed, "it is closing time again and I was so happy."

He was Mr Edward Vaughan, a ten-broker long retired, who lives at Hendon. "Look how beautiful it is," he said.

I looked at the picture that had entranced Mr Vaughan for so long. It was a painting which everyone who has spent a night in a boarding house knows well; for it is a favourite with landladies as well as Mr Vaughan. — by George Frederick Watts.

"For many years it has been the picture I love best," said Mr Vaughan. "I saw it first as a boy and now I often come and sit for a while, looking at it, and it makes me feel that life still holds much for me."

### NEWLY HUNG

Room Number 18 at the Tate is newly hung. It is devoted to two artists, both born in 1817—Watts and Alfred Stevens.

Earlier in this room, within a young painter, Mr Lucien Freud. He was a very different companion from Mr Vaughan.

"Look at this ghastly picture," Freud said, as we stood before Hope. "Bad painting, bad composition, altogether horrible. Some of the Victorians could paint well, but as soon as they ventured into allegory it was disastrous. Yet, at the time, they fetched enormous prices."

I mentioned this gently to Mr Vaughan as we sat on for a few minutes, while the attendant snipped off the lights in the gallery. "Wasn't Hope once sold for £1,500?" I asked.

"Guineas," said Mr Vaughan, astronomical prices now, were and rather lately for him, starving in gaol."

"Whistler sold no gentleman would offer pounds."

"But in 1942 I think it only fetched 90 guineas," I said.

Mr Vaughan rose, shook his head with a pained frown. We did not speak again but stood looking once more at Hope and were both sad together—and went our ways.

For it is a sad story—the story of the Victorian painters who in their day were highly revered, but whose works are now sold for little more than the value of their frames.

Their incomes were vast. Sir John Millais once said that he made about £35,000 a year and added that if he had not had an extra fortnight's shooting in Scotland. In the last ten years prices of £100 and less are common for Millais pictures which once fetched ten times the amount.

A successful artist in the mid-Victorian epoch could ask and get anything from £200 to 3,000 guineas or more for a picture.

In the 1860's Holman Hunt received £5,500 guineas for The Finding of Christ in the Temple.

**LESS THAN £100**

Sir Laurence Alma-Tadema's Dedication to Bacchus was sold for 6,000 guineas in the 1870's, but in the 1930's it went for less than £100.

Just after Sir Edward Burne-Jones died in 1898 the sale of the work in his studio realised £30,000. In 1953 his St George was sold for £50.

How did it come about that in England artists, who are scorned today, lived like princes, while in France the Impressionists, whose paintings fetch

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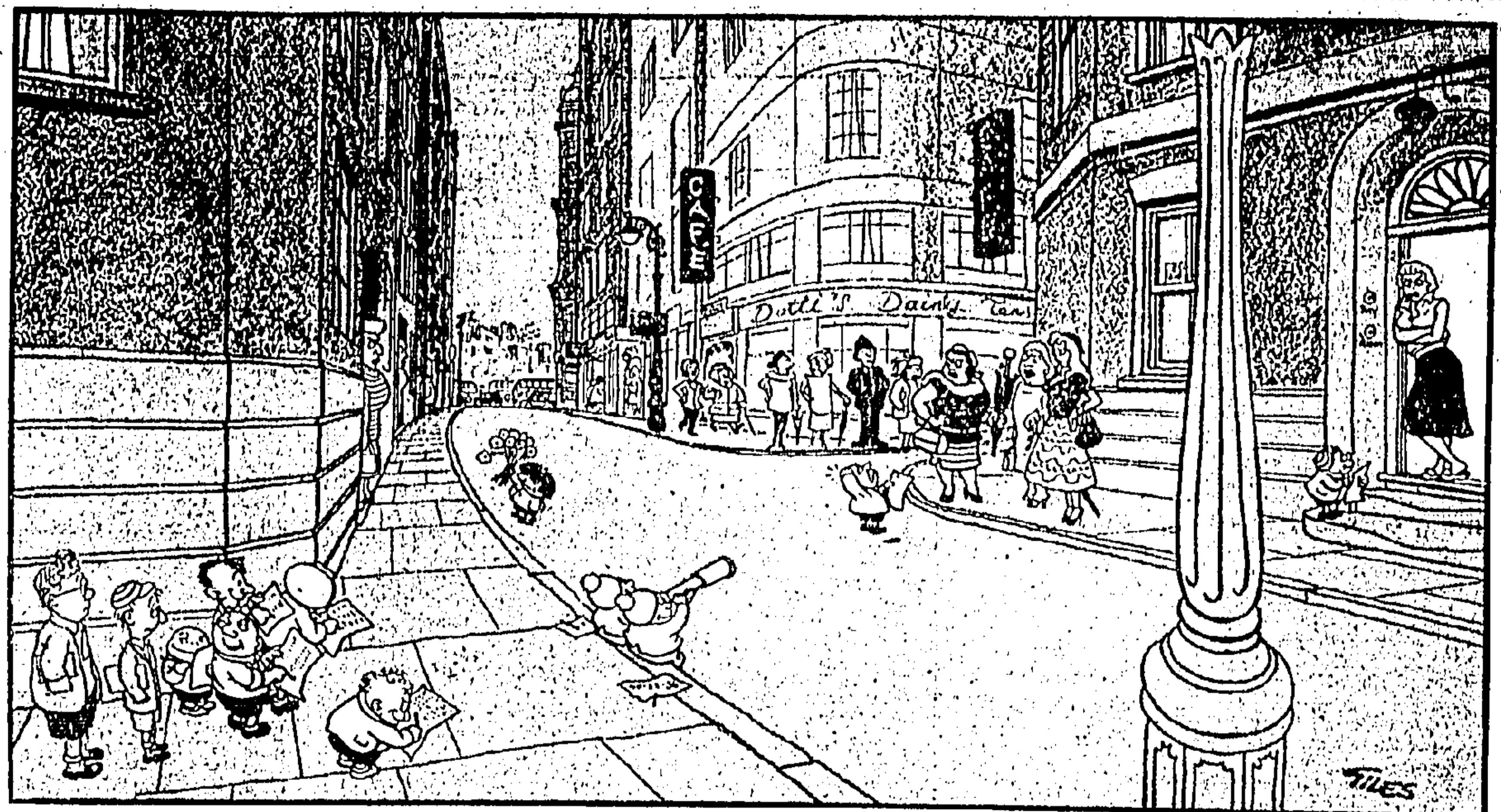
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### ROBERT PITMAN'S BOOK PAGE

## His wife's face—but now it belonged to another woman



How three women shared one face. Above: the shy wife. Left: the spend-thrift flirt. Below: the serene third woman.

**WHITE-FACED** with dismay, the young American stood gaping at the woman inside the psychiatrist's room. The woman was sitting in the chair where he had left his wife an hour before. She was wearing his wife's neat, staid clothes. She had his wife's face—the same hair, the same pretty eyes. But she was not his wife.

Inside his wife's demure body was a lively, loud-mouthed stranger. A stranger who laughed aloud at the idea of ever being married to him.

What had happened to his wife? How could she share her own body with another woman? The answer is given by the distinguished psychiatrists concerned in the case—Corbett Thigpen and Hervey Cleckley—in THE THREE FACES OF EVE (Secker and Warburg, 1959).

### HER PROBLEM

This moving story from real life begins with a girl and a headache.

One day in 1951 young Mrs Eve White, of Augusta, Georgia, paid a visit to a psychiatrist. She complained of sudden blackouts, of blinding pains in the head. Shyly she said that she was a devout Baptist. Ralph, her husband, was a Roman Catholic. They often quarrelled over the education of their small daughter.

It seemed a simple case. The expert gave advice. Eve's headaches grew less. Until suddenly the psychiatrist got a distraught phone call from Eve's husband. The normally thrifty Eve had put him into debt by buying dozens of gay, expensive dresses. At her next visit Eve White (the surname, for the sake of medical ethics, is a pseudonym) tried to explain.

In the consulting room she frowned. The frown became a dazed stare. She shuddered.

Then, all at once, a pair of sparkling blue eyes opened wide. The patient crossed her legs with a coquettish swirl of skirt.

Cute she said: "Hi, there Doc!"

The effect was uncanny.

Out of Eve's mouth the cut voice continued: "She's been

having a rough time. There's no doubt about that. What she puts up with from that sorry Ralph White—and all her mooning over the little brat . . ."

The psychiatrist was amazed. He asked:

"Who's she?"

"Why, Eve White of course, your long-suffering, saintly little

Eve Black."

"But aren't you Eve White?"

The woman in the consulting room grinned: "I'm Eve Black."

Eve Black was Mrs White's maiden name.

So here, in one body, were two quite different women. Eve White had worn a steady, worried-frown. Eve Black constantly smiled and laughed.

But the difference went deeper. Eve Black knew all about Eve White. She could enter her thoughts. But Eve White knew nothing about Eve Black.

This, then, was the life of the two Eves in 1951.

Then, from out of nowhere, came the third woman.

During one call at the psychiatrist's consulting room Eve White was talking about her childhood. Suddenly she fell asleep. When she awoke she was Eve White no longer. Nor was she Eve Black. She was a new person altogether.

After hesitation this new woman in Eve White's body decided that her name was Jane.

There was a surprise. At first she had no memory at all, barely any vocabulary. But soon she revealed herself as an amazingly wise and intelligent woman.

Cute she said: "Hi, there Doc!"

The effect was uncanny.

Out of Eve's mouth the cut voice continued: "She's been

Then Ralph tried to woo her back. But the woman he wooed was Eve Black. In a mischievous mood the vivacious Eve Black spent a weekend with him. And when Eve White realised what had happened she immediately decided on a divorce. Her reason? She was disgusted at Ralph's unfaithfulness with Eve Black.

How could this human chaos be halted?

Desperately the psychiatrists searched the memories of Eve White for an event which had split her mind.

Finally, one autumn day, Eve White was at her parents' house playing ball with her little daughter ("Are you my Mummy, or one of the other ones?" the child would ask pathetically). Then the personality of Jane took over control. Jane ran after the ball which had rolled into a closed-in space below the house.

Suddenly the damp, earthy smell of the semi-cellars filled her mind like remembered music.

Jane told the psychiatrist.

But as she was talking in her room she stiffened. Her eyes glazed. In terror she cried:

"Mother! Don't make me. . . . Don't. . . . I can't do it."

From the pretty mouth there followed a whirling, animal scream which drove the psychiatrist from the room to seek a colleague's help.

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## JACOBY ON BRIDGE

### Early Unblock Nets Contract

By OSWALD JACOBY

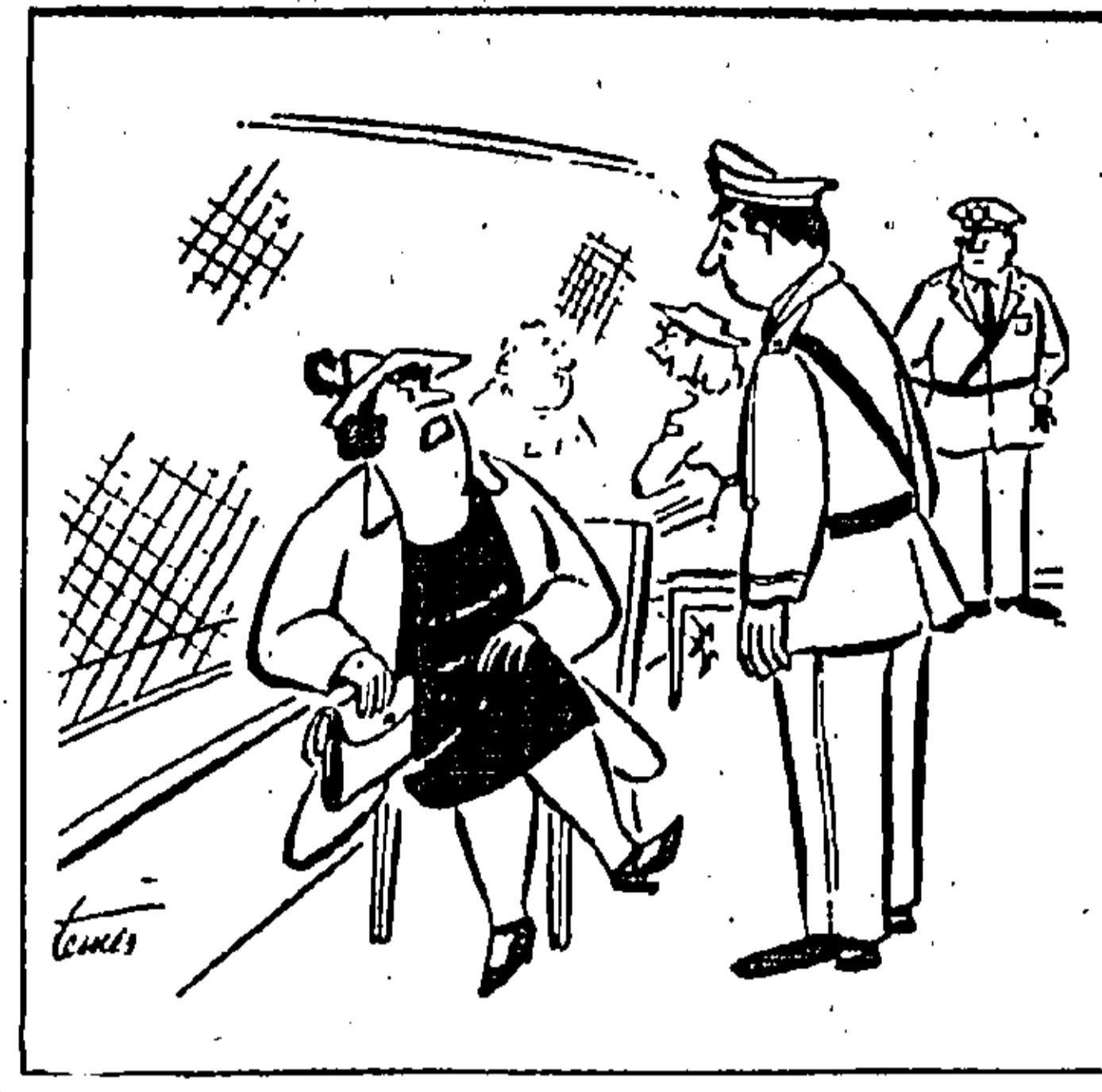
**N**ORTH and South have a laydown for six diamonds and I suppose they should have found some way to get to that contract although it is hard to see how they should have bid it.

As it was they arrived at five spades and should have been beaten a trick. East won the opening heart lead with the king and should have shifted to the queen of clubs. His partner had raised hearts twice and surely had four hearts. Hence, the only chance for further defensive tricks would be in clubs.

If East had shifted to the club, South would have won the trick and drawn trumps. He would then have gone after the diamond suit. Since East held three diamonds to the four he would have had to lead out dummy's ace, king and queen. He could drop the ten-nine and

NORTH	27
♦ 9 7 6	♦ 5 2
♦ 3 2	♦ A K Q 5 4
♦ 8 4 2	
WEST	EAST
♦ 6 3	♦ 5 2
♦ Q 9 8 4	♦ A K J 7 6 5
♦ 3	♦ J 7 2
♦ K J 10 8 3	♦ Q 9
SOUTH (D)	
♦ A K Q J 10	
♦ 10 9 8 6	
♦ A 7 6	
No one vulnerable	
South West North East	
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠	3 ♠ 3 ♠ 3 ♠ 4 ♠
3 ♠ 3 ♠	3 ♠ 4 ♠
4 ♠ Pass	Pass
5 ♠ Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♦ 4	

## This Funny World



"What do you mean, he's been on parole for a month?"

## • BY • THE • WAY •

### by Beachcomber

**N**ONE too soon in Socialist has revealed the true nature of the London Library, as a place of amusement or palace of fun for the masses.

Under cover of the misleading word "Library" these never-do-wells make in St James's-a quiet place to loll about in armchairs with the racing news or detective fiction to pass the time while the floor-show begins. "The word 'research,'" said a Socialist M.P., "which is used as a plea to keep this quasi-cushion-going rate-free, is meant to suggest that serious studies are undertaken there. A recent police raid had been anticipated and, in a prearranged atmosphere of decorum, the occupants were surprised at their studies. An edition of Homer's 'Iliad' was confiscated, but so thorough had been the preparations that between the covers was found, not an expected a wicked French novel, but the text of the 'Iliad.'

### On Shrimwill Moor

**O**WING to a prolonged picnic lunch, the Macaroon of Macrao, Captain Foulene, and the Laird of Klockkrabb, were the only inhabitants of Shrimwill Moor as dusk began to fall. The ravenous straws of "Bonnie" Maggie's awl cut the "braes" kept whatever grouse loitered near by well out of range. Range, however, was comparatively unimportant to the birds, as the three sports-

men had mislaid their ammunition. This was discovered when Klockkrabb cried: "It's empty." "There's another bottle at your elbow," replied the Macrao. "He was referring to his gun," said Foulene. "If we had a fire we could cook a bird or two and make a night of it," said the Macrao. "Where would we get a bird?" asked Klockkrabb. This piece of monumental stupidity received, as it deserved, no answer for a while. Then Foulene said: "Sorry, I'm sitting on the only one we got."

### Perpetual entertainment

I READ of a tiny portable radio set which fits into the pocket, so that you can listen while you walk about." What bliss! Two people out for a walk will no longer have to talk to each other. Each will listen to his own set, worn like a flower, in his buttonhole. All that is needed now is a tiny television screen which can be clamped to the tie, so that two friends can watch each other's screen through a microscope.

**Tail-piece.** Even before the marriage hit her in the face. (News item.)

"Even" is the operative word,

### BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

## The Toy Train Special

*The Shadows Discover A Whole New Country* — By MAX TRELL

**T**HIS toy railroad tracks were laid down in the corner of the room. There were curves and switches and long straight stretches. Part of the tracks went under the sofa and part of them curved around the leg of the table.

Knarl, the Shadow, with his friend Teddy, the Stuffed Bear, and Hinawatha, the Wooden Indian Boy, sat on the edge of the sofa and watched the little train go screeching by.

Teddy uttered a sigh.

### Teddy's Wish

"If only they were bigger," he said, pointing to the trains.

Hinawatha nodded. "If they were bigger, we could take them on our journeys."

"If them bigger," he said, "we could take them on our journeys."

"It's no use thinking about it," said Knarl. "Nothing could make those trains any bigger."

Just then Knarl's sister, Handi, came along.

"I know somebody who could make them bigger," she said.

She went to the Magic Telephone behind the curtain and dialed a number.

"Hello, Mr Merlin!" she said.

"Can you do my brother Knarl and me a favor?" she said.

"Certainly," said Mr Merlin.

"What do you want me to do?"

Handi told him about the toy trains in the room, which they all wanted to be made bigger.

"It's a great deal of trouble," he said.

"You're a wonderful magician in the whole world," Handi said as she threw Mr Merlin a kiss.

Teddy checked all the bags.

"All aboard!" shouted Knarl, the Engineer.

"All aboard!" shouted Hinawatha after him.

Away went the train. It sped along Carpet Valley, then through Sofa Tunnel, past Chiarino and Lamplville and Bookcase Village.

"This is the loveliest trip I've ever made," she said to the Conductor as she handed him her ticket.

"It's the most wonderful magical in the whole world," Handi said as she threw Mr Merlin a kiss.

"That's what I think, as he smiled.

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# HEAVY-FOOTED AND LISTLESS AFTER THEIR LONG SUMMER TOUR



The spotlight features once again the RASC water polo team who, having annexed the league title, have completed the season by also taking the knockout competition premier award after an interesting game with the Command Pay Office.

The semi-finals saw 33 General Hospital diplomatically how to the Paymaster's staff after a closer game than the 7-2 score suggests. RASC had quite stiff opposition before they finally came out on top by 5-1 when they met 74 LAA Rgt.

In fact the Gunners often looked the better team, but inability to shoot, plus some good keeping by WO Jimmy Janes, kept the S & T lads just ahead until midway through the second half when the Gunners tired and loosened their previous close marking which resulted in three breakaways and three goals. Army keeper Sgt. Pete Watkins had bad luck with two of the scoring shots stopping these well only to see the ball drift in off the posts.

The final during the early stages was even but the RASC soon cut away their opponents, particularly in the second half, and but for some excellent saves by CPO Janes the score would have been much greater than the six recorded without reply.

For the winners it would be wrong to single out any individual. All played their full part in the victory. For the losers Lieut. John Sharpe was the most prominent player, ably assisted by Ptes. Jim Crisp and goalkeeper John White, the other 'Pay' players being Ptes. Peter Aldred, Denis Eadie, Stanley Woods and David Endes, while the valiantous team had WO Jim James, Major 'Topper' Brown, Pte. Eric Healy, Dvrs. Yau Man Kwong, Ng Shui Kee, and Ng Chee Ping, with L/Cpl. Lau Yin.

Both league and cup trophies will be presented at the conclusion of this afternoon's Team Swimming Championships, when it is hoped to stage a Champions v. The Rest match.

Thursday and Friday will be devoted to the Army Individual Swimming Championships which will virtually end this season's garrison aquatic activities.

#### HARD WORK

I am indeed pleased to report the great activity seen on the Boundary Street grounds during the past few days, mainly by the cricket fraternity.

Few realised that the grounds on both sides of the road suffered considerably from the floods and that an immense amount of hard work has been put in to get them back to their present excellent shape.

Most of the praise for this should be given to the Camp Commandant, Major Joe Thomas, RA, who, although the control of these grounds is one of his many jobs, has taken a personal interest in improving all the sporting facilities available and has spent much time and effort in bringing these playing pitches back to the condition he raised them to last season.

A programme of re-turfing has been possible and this season will see an innovation on the cricket field in that instead of the usual stand or a multi wicket, there will be four grass wickets on which a mat will be used, and on which the changes can be rung, and the experts even hope that a grass wicket alone may even be possible later.

One word of warning. All are asked not to use bicycles on any of the grounds. The texture of the grass is such that their wheels on a moist ground can do damage which is practically impossible to remedy, short of re-turfing, so cyclists, "Keep off the grass."

#### CLINIC-EXHIBITION

To all keen athletes, and anyone interested in seeing a world record-holder in action, here is some good news.

Rifer Johnson, from Kingsburg, California, the holder of the world Decathlon record, will attend the Boundary Street running track at 1000 hrs on Friday next, Sept. 20, to give a clinic-exhibition.

Rifer, hampered by an injury, was runner-up at the last Olympic Games Decathlon at Melbourne, but prior to that he had won the Pan-American event in March, 1959, and his home town was selected for a National Decathlon meet.

Before many friends he pulverised his opposition and beat the seemingly unbeatable record to meet in friendly rivalry the members of the other Services who, we hope, will find it possible to accept the invitation and enter teams.

## Spectators Get Tired Of Watching Weary Footballers

By I. M. MacTAVISH

**A big crowd made the trip to Caroline Hill last night to see South China beat Eastern by three goals to one in the third match of the CAAF Cup. Thousands of them must have left the stadium wondering if their journey had been really necessary.**

So indifferent was the play that we were treated to the unusual sight of seeing good numbers of spectators leaving the ground at half time . . . and truth to tell they missed nothing by their decision. Play throughout was ragged and haphazard. Passes went astray with monotonous regularity and I lost count of the number of times when the player in possession sent the ball straight to an opponent.

South China deserved to win it only because they showed a glimmer of originality and a trace of enterprise in some of their work . . . and because they had in Lee Tak-wai a youngster who was not afraid to have a bang at goal when a chance presented itself.

It was good to see Pau King-yin back in action in the South China goal. He did not get a lot to do but the confident clutch and the intelligent interception were always in evidence in

full backs Ng Wai-man and Tan Kar-sau had an easy evening due to the weakness of the Eastern front rank, while Chu Chor-wing at centre-half was a very capable job indeed. Wing halves Luk Tak-hay and Chan Chi-kong generally had the measure of the opposition but Luk once again marred his good work with a really shocking tackle on Hau Ching-to in the first half. The Eastern winger hobbled to the touchline to have medical attention for a nasty gash in his leg and he was never fully effective after that.

#### OUT OF FORM

The Caroline Hillers' forward line was a strangely lopsided affair. Chiu Pak-lit on the right wing was blotted out of the game by Lau Yee and with Yu Cheuk-yin still out of form it was left to Lee Yuk-tai to supply the craft and Lee Tak-wai to furnish the graft. Chu Wing-wah looked exactly what he was . . . a good right winger out of position on the left toucheen.

Eastern took little satisfaction out of this engagement and like South China they appeared heavy-footed and listless after their long summer tour.

Competitors should be at the railway station before 0830 hrs and each will be responsible for making arrangements to have his clothing taken in to the finishing men.

A total of one and a half hours is allowed for the crossing, and for those who wonder whether this is sufficient time, and are too lazy to get down to mathematics, our tame mathematician assures us that this works out at a little over ten yards a minute to qualify for a very attractive certificate which will be a permanent reminder of quite an athletic achievement, and also of a very pleasant stay in the Colony.

#### CRICKETING NEWS

Cricketing news this week is mainly of future plans although a great deal of activity is evident at the nets on both sides of the harbour.

Army participation in civilian cricket this season is exactly as last year, Army South "A" and "B" and North "A" and "B" teams will batte for honours and if enthusiasm at net practice may be accepted as a guide all teams should feature near the top of their respective Leagues.

Army South "A" are fortunate in having a most capable candidate in the Rev. Bill Howard-Dyson's mantle of captaincy, and his keenness, knowledge of the game and enthusiasm should bring out the best in his ten comrades. Capt. D. L. P. Danger, RAOC, leads the South "B" while Major L. M. Barker carries the responsibility for the North "A" team with Major W. L. Rawson skippering the "B" eleven.

An innovation this year is Wednesday afternoon Inter-Services Minor Units League games being of 3½ hours duration and points being allotted at four for a win, two for a tie and one point for a draw, and to date ten teams have entered.

This is the second sport to throw its competition open to Royal Navy and Royal Air Force units, and with the fact it is a step up in the scale of competition to meet in friendly rivalry the members of the other Services who, we hope, will find it possible to accept the invitation and enter teams.

#### NANYANG CUP

## Hongkong Beats Thailander Team At Basketball

Singapore, Sept. 17. Singapore tonight beat the Lik team of Thailand 83-84 to score their third successive victory in the Nanyang University Cup basketball tournament.

Singapore were forced to trail their opponents twice early in the match but they struck good combination in the second half by calling on Olympic player Yeo Tit-kwan, who was earlier unable to play because of a hand injury.

The score was 30-30 at half-time and despite grand attacks by the Thai team's star player Li Yang-koong, Singapore increased their lead.

Results of tonight's games:

Men's Section: Hongkong beat Handyal (Thailand) 90-71.

Central Malaya beat Black and White (Manila) 78-74.

North Malaya beat Bangkok Chinese 85-83.

Medan (Indonesia) beat Bangkok Chinese 67-62.

Kuching (Sarawak) beat Nan Yang University (Singapore) 74-44.

Black and White (Manila) beat Wel Sin (Handyal, Thailand) 92-73.

Women: Medan (Indonesia) beat Central Malaya 39-28.

South Malaya beat Handyal 42-39.

North Malaya beat Kuching 37-17.

Soon Terk (Formosa) beat Singapore 68-25. — Reuter.

## Interport Rowing Regatta At Singapore

Singapore, Sept. 17. Rowing crews from Borbo, Rangoon, Malaya and Saigon are training six hours a day in Singapore in preparation for a three-day Interport Rowing Regatta beginning here on Thursday.

The last of the visiting crews, from Padijai, South Sumatra, was expected to arrive tomorrow (Wednesday).

University students from Rangoon and Saigon will be competing in the regatta which is staged by the Far Eastern Amateur Rowing Association.

— Reuter.

#### TEAMS

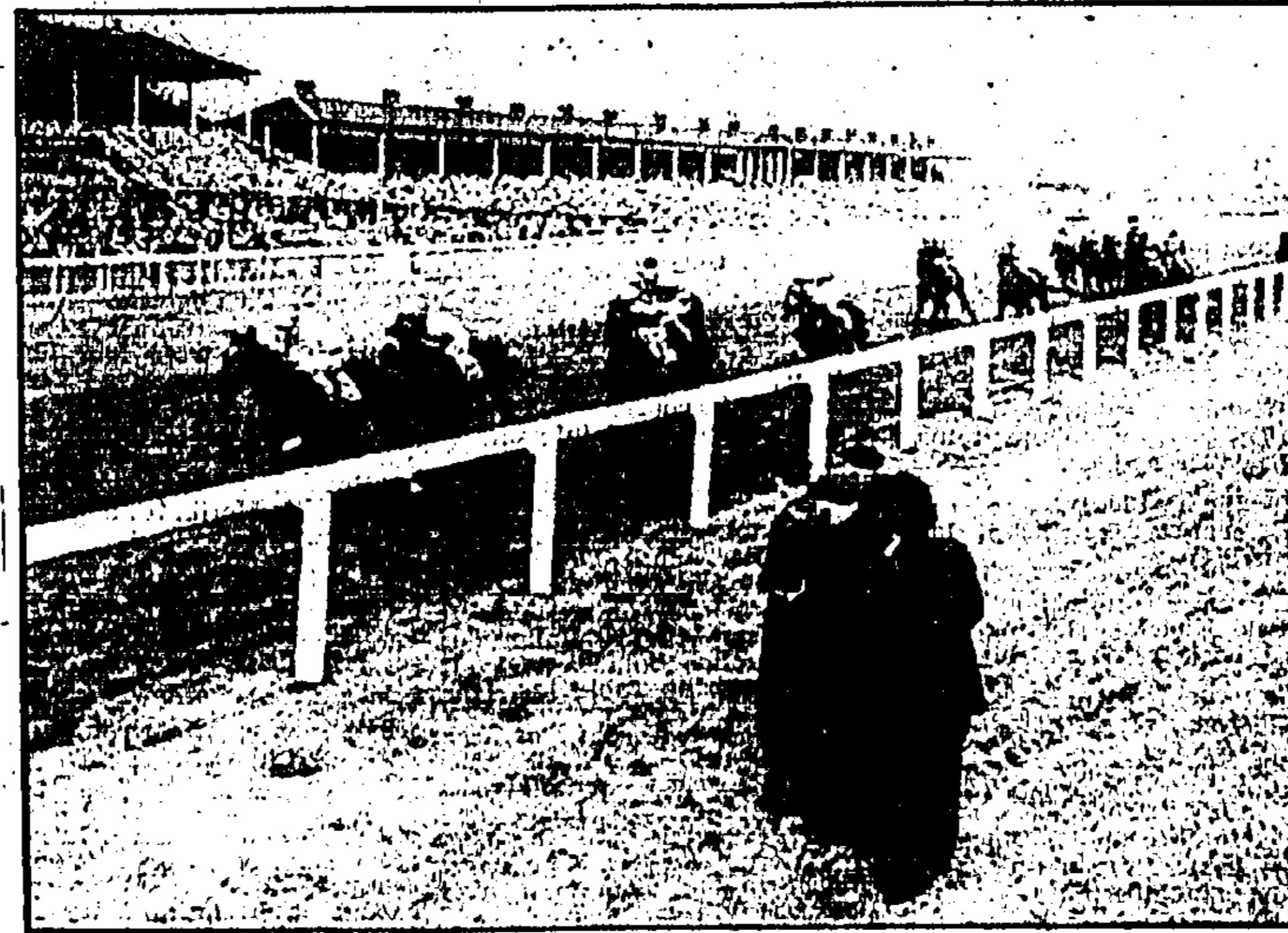
South China: Pau King-yin;

Ng Wai-man; Tan Kar-sau; Luk Tak-hay; Chu Chor-wing; Chan Chi-kong; Chiu Pak-lit; Lee Tak-wai; Leo Yuk-tak; Yu Cheuk-yin; Chu Wing-wah.

Eastern: Yong Pui-dor; Lee Ping-nam; Lau Yee; Toledo; Ko Po-keung; Lee Kwok-wah; Leung Kwn-hong; Ma Man-heng; Lee Kang-wai; Chu Wing-keung; Hau Chung-to.

— Reuter.

#### IRISH HORSE WINS ST LEGER



Mr. J. McShain's Irish horse, Ballymoss, ridden by T. P. Burns, wins the St Leger Stakes last week — last and longest classic of the season — at Doncaster, Yorkshire. Second was Mr. J. Mullion's Court Harwell, ridden by Scoble Breasley, and third, the favourite, Mr. W. Humble's Branche, E. Hide in the saddle. — Reuterphoto.

#### THE GAMBOLES



#### for DOMESTIC ECONOMY

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# EXPERTS FAVOUR BOTH ROBINSON AND MOORE

## If The Older Men Still Have The Hand Speed

By OSCAR FRAWLEY

New York, Sept. 17.

The odds makers have established Carmen Basilio and Tony Anthony as the favourites in two imminent title fights but experts are giving the advance nod to Ray Robinson and Archie Moore.

Basilio is 8 to 5 to take the middleweight title from Sugar Ray at Yankee Stadium next Monday night. And Anthony is 6 to 5 to knock the light heavyweight diadem off old Archie's patent leather locks at Los Angeles on Friday night.

But those who make boxing their business, warning that these are a couple of bouts in which it would be wise not to invest too much money, hint that a "must" better should go for the short end.

The question, in both bouts, is whether the older participant still has the hand speed to land a good night set of knuckles on the younger man's jawbone. Everything else is window dressing.

Moore would seem to have the most difficult assignment. He must pare down from more than 200 pounds to the 175-pound limit and, at 41, he is spotting Anthony an impressive total of 19 years. Robinson is only six—or maybe seven—years older than Basilio and has had no weight problem.

## CAULIFLOWER CANYON

Archie claims, however, that he learned a secret reducing system from an Australian aborigine and that he can shed the weight without losing strength. If this be so, the pertinent question as seen by the clan along cauliflower canyon is whether he still can punch with the old-time Moore rapidity.

If he can, they say Anthony is in for a rugged evening.

Because while the young New Yorker has speed, a good punch and is a smart boxer, he has a chin chin. Tony has knocked 24 rivals in 38 bouts. Yet of the four fights he lost—he was stunned in each.

Eight men, who are frequently as wrong as anybody else, can't understand the Basilio favouritism. They hold that if Robinson has a weight edge of about eight pounds, which he probably will take into the ring, it will mean much in the way of fire power.

Dr Vincent Nardiello, a long-time Commission examiner of athletes, holds that Sugar Ray physically is better than Jersey Joe Walcott was when that muscular honcho won the heavyweight title at an age estimated variously from 38 to 40.

## AS GOOD AS EVER

"Robinson is a remarkable athlete and his legs look as good as ever," Nardiello insists. "His hand speed may have

## Britain Tops Pool In World Fencing Championships

Paris, Sept. 16. Britain today topped the classification pool in the men's electric foil team event at the World Fencing Championships here.

Britain won all three matches to take first place, followed by Germany with two wins and one defeat. Belgium with one win and two losses and Romania with no wins and three losses.

These four teams thus were classed from fifth to eighth in the World Championships which still must be decided by the top four teams, Hungary, Italy, France and the Soviet Union.

Britain beat Italy by 8 wins to 7, beat Romania by 14-2 and beat Belgium 9-3. Germany beat Belgium 11-5 and beat Romania 10-6. Belgium beat Romania 11-5.

## FINAL POOL

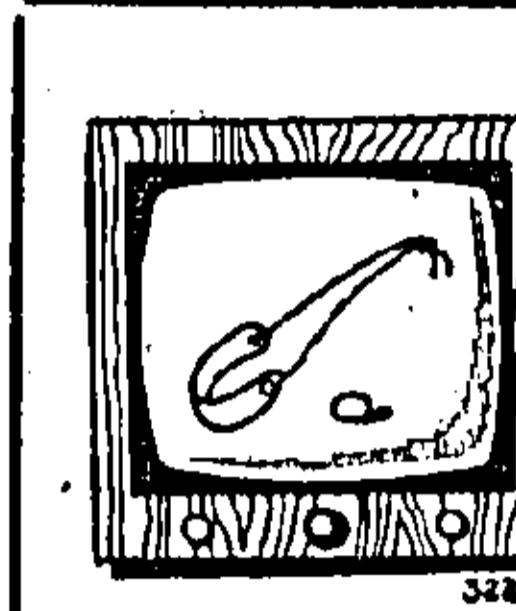
In the final pool of the championships, Hungary won all three matches, France won two matches and was defeated once by Hungary. Italy won one match and lost twice, and the Soviet Union lost all three. In the last two matches tonight, Hungary beat Italy (the title holders) by also wins to five and France beat the Soviet Union by 10-4.—France-Presse.

## America's Ham Richardson Out Of Davis Cup Team Mike Green Takes Over

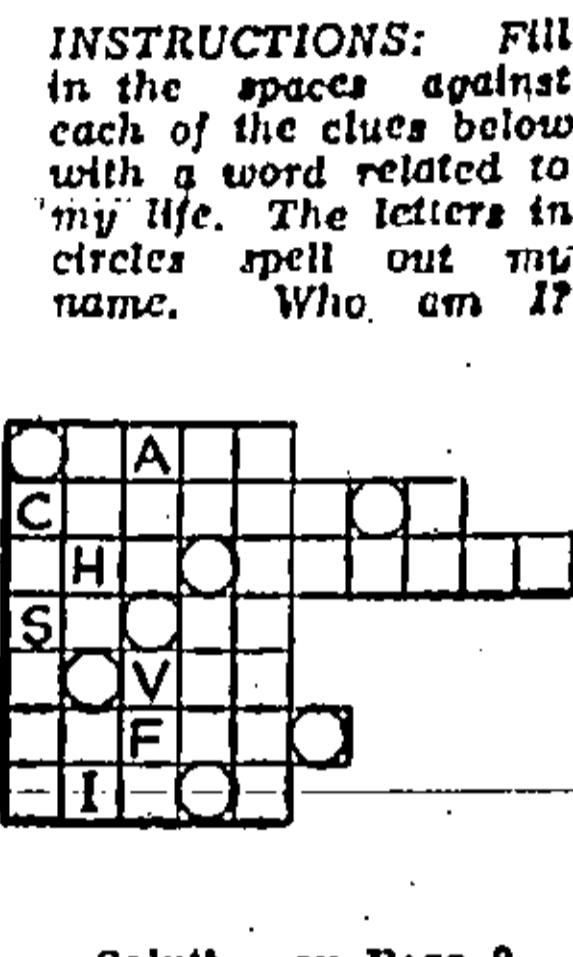
Los Angeles, Sept. 17. Ham Richardson, America's Number One amateur tennis player, today officially dropped out of the American Davis Cup team and was replaced by Mike Green.

Richardson notified the American Davis Cup Committee that he would not be able to play in the final Davis Cup matches, because he needed a month-long rest to cure a sprained muscle.

Earlier, the Committee had rejected Richardson's request that he should be allowed to take his wife with him to Australia for the finals.—France-Presse.



## NAME SAKES



## Baseball Scores

New York, Sept. 17. Major League baseball scores today were:

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit ..... 000-100-000-3  
New York ..... 010-000-000-7-10-0  
Hoeft, Precko (8), and Porter; Howard (10th); Bauer (10th); Li-Hoeft (8-11).

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia ..... 010-000-000-1-1-0  
Chicago ..... 021-012-01x-7-10-0  
Sanford, Hoek (8), Morehead (7) and Lepke; Drabowsky (11-14) and Tressel (11-14); Barton (6th); Banks (1st); Drabowsky (1st). LF—Sanford (17-8)—United Press.

## HOME RUGGER

London, Sept. 17. Result of a Rugby Union match played tonight was: Saracens 14, Richmond 14.

In a Rugby League match (Yorkshire Cup) was Bradford Northern 5, Featherstone Rovers 2.—Reuter.

## Sports Diary

## TODAY

## Swimming

Kai Tak, 2 p.m. Annual Swimming Gala, at Annual Army Inter-Unit Swimming Championships, Victoria Pool, 2:45 p.m.

## Tennis

LCG Tennis Championships: Colony Ladies Doubled Final; Inter-Hong Kong Club Men's Singles Open, Club Men's Singles Open.

## Meeting

HCPA Interport Sub-Committee Meeting at Sports Road, 5:45 p.m.

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# I Become A 'Bit' Player

Hollywood finds talent in China Mail Film Reporter, Anthony Fuller—now read about what you might (and might not) see when Hongkong Affair is screened in the Colony.



THE way it happened was this. When the Claremont Pictures Inc. came to Hongkong, they left a number of 'bit parts' open feeling that they could be better filled here, by people who know local conditions, than by bringing small part actors from Hollywood who would have to learn local ways and means.

I was called in because it was known I was fairly well acquainted with our Hongkong mummery, and I could advise on their suitability for the vacant parts.

### My Feet

I saw Mr Paul Henrd who took one look at my feet and decided that I would make a good policeman. I was signed up on the spot.

Followed boring days at the studio during which I waited hours while too articulate and too inarticulate actors sluffed their lines.

Then came my turn. It was put in the can, and we began the big outdoor stuff.

Early one morning, just as the sun was rising, I put on my police inspector's hat, buckled on my Sam Browne, got in my car, and drove up Nathan Road. I was mystified to see a constable come up to a sizzling salute. The same happened at the Star Ferry. I looked to see who was collecting all these compliments. The awful truth dawned upon me. I wondered what the beat handed out in such cases.

### Heung Kong

I took off my hat, turned up my collar, and slunk behind the pillars of Kowloon Railway Station. Then I began to worry what the penalty was for being scruffy on parade.

Emergency crews and firemen were still at work on a 600-yard-long ditch to divert overflow water from the area.

No attempt has yet been made to determine exactly what caused nearly a square mile of slum-district land to sink.

Some believe a faulty sewer sliced away earth under the area. Others blame the collapse of old mineshafts under the town.—United Press.

Everything was going well. One look at the water was enough to convince me that everything was to be gained by not falling in that odorous spot of the ocean.

Bulmer jumped, and the sampan almost stood on end. I jumped, and it did stand on end.

### My Leap

Now up to that moment, our actors had faced all the terrors Hongkong could produce. They had cheerfully braved all the opium runners of the New Territories. They had dodged bullets slung at them by all manner of crude people. They had braved all the hazards of which we, in our normal lives in the Colony, are totally unaware. But they could not face that heaving sampan. A lady lifted her arm, but, foolishly, thinking she wanted to help, she pulled the hand down, instead of her side, and leapt into the churning. Lost in my mind, I was totally unaware that their cries were genuine until I heard the actors in deep and earnest conversation with the producer.

So you will never see dare devil Anthony Fuller's leap into danger. What a pity. It would have made the Keystone Cops jealous.

Time to eat. We returned to our hospitable boat-hall. I was still puzzled as somehow it had the appearance of a meeting hall.

### Handcuffed

Nevertheless, as bottled beer and hot-dogs were handed round, I joined in the orgy, and after a few minutes we resembled a scene reminiscent of the decadent days of the women abroad.



Whether you're the cameraman, the producer, the leading lady (being helped out of a ditch by two extras) or just a 'bit' player like China Mail film writer Anthony Fuller, film-making for Hollywood is an experience which Hongkong participants will remember for a life-time. The above pictures taken by a China Mail cameraman show (in columns one, two and three) the highlights of Hongkong Affair, and above, some of the sidelights.

Then the wrath of heaven into Yaumati with the villain terms he can sign Anthony Fuller. Also I am worried about my status in the Empire of Celluloid. You see, I speak a few lines; once or twice the camera holds me alone. So I am not that social outcast the extra. On the other hand I am not sufficiently descended in the hierarchy to say, hob-nob with.

I heard the welcome sound of 'Cut'. I released my prisoner and then put that key into the handcuffs to release myself. The spring broke. The bitter bit. I stood in ignominious woe with everyone laughing. But our property men are wonderful.

## by ANTHONY FULLER

China Mail Film Writer

devastating blow of oratory to something like Elijah banded out to the priests of Baal.

In a way, it was deserved. One should not abuse hospitality, and I would certainly wish my audience a beer had I stayed up till all right, and we brought the day's shooting to an end as I saluted.

I know not what fame and fortune follow. But somehow I can't see Mr Goldwyn getting one in reply. It is all very difficult.

I tell you what I think: Long after 'Hongkong Affair' is an affair to remember, I shall still be a movie. That's what I think.

### China Mail Entertainment Guide

### WHAT'S ON TONIGHT

**HOOVER and LIBERTY:** "Gun Glory". A shiny class Western starring Stewart Granger.  
**KING'S and PRINCESS:** "Navy Wife" a comedy with a Japanese setting, starring Joan Bennett, Gary Merrill and Shirley Yamaguchi.

**METROPOLIS and STAR:** "Hit and Run". Pick-up girl, push-up lover, and its inevitable sequel, murder.

**STAR and CLEO:** Cleo Moore and Hugo Haas.

**QUEENS and ALIHAMRA:** "The Prince and the Showgirl". Hurwitz comes to London Town for the Coronation. Sir Laurence Olivier, Dame Sybil Thorndike and Marilyn Monroe.

**RONY and BROADWAY:** "Orlando". A reissue.



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## LUXURY CRUISE LINER COMING

*Tourist Shops  
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by a China Mail Reporter

The ss Orcades, post-war luxury ship of the Orient Line, is bringing 1,200 Australians to Hongkong for a visit at the end of this month.

A vessel constructed to provide the maximum comfort to the passengers, the Orcades is on a cruise to Rabaul, Yokohama, Kobe, Hongkong, Manila and Port Moresby.

She left Sydney last Saturday and is expected to berth alongside No. 5 wharf at Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. on September 30.

Mrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie and Co., agents for the Orient Line, said this morning this would be the first visit of the Orcades to Hongkong and it might possibly be the beginning of annual cruises to the Colony.

### THE HARD WAY

The Orcades is a passenger liner of about 28,000 gross tons. She is commanded by Captain C. K. Blake, OBE, veteran skipper, who learned seamanship the hard way.

He was trained in a four-masted barque before the First World War.

The Orcades can accommodate 770 first-class passengers and the cabins are all air-conditioned to give comfort for travel in the tropics.

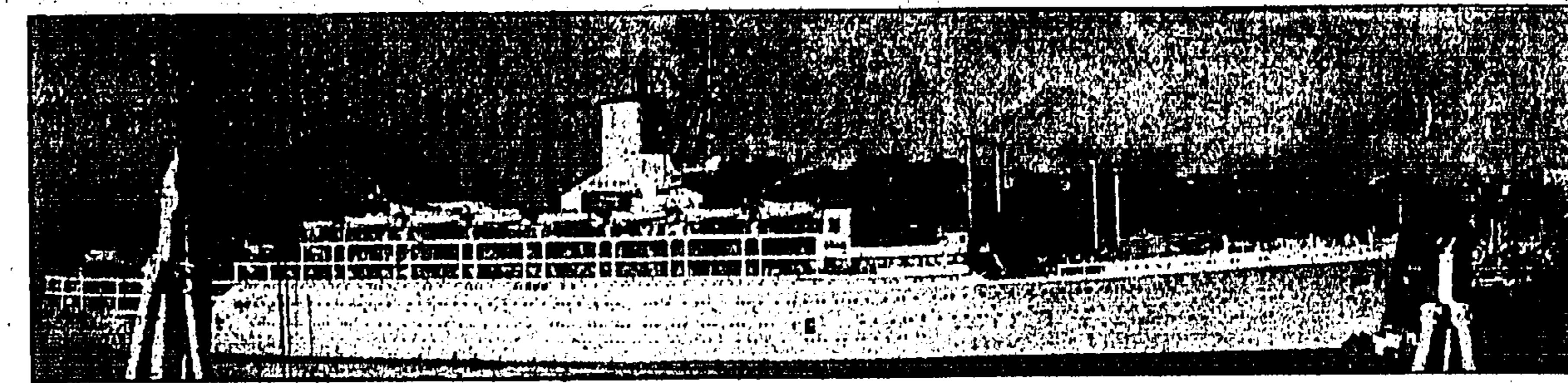
The lounge and restaurant in the first class compartment are also air-conditioned for added comfort.

She has facilities to carry 620 passengers in Tourist Class.

### A Two-Piece That Will Go Places...



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## Woman Tells How She Borrowed Husband's Money

A woman said in Court today that she usually gave reasons for borrowing money from her husband but when she was in urgent need, she would tell her husband the reasons later.

The woman, Mrs. Keung Chi-ching is a prosecution witness and she made the statement under cross-examination today in the Victoria District Court.

The liner sailed on her maiden voyage in January, 1949. The present steamer is the third vessel to bear the same name. The Orcades II, which was built in 1937, was sunk during World War II.

### NO MAST

The Orcades III set the style of merging funnel, mast and the bridge into one unit, not unlike a warship, which now goes a step further with the disappearance of the mast altogether.

Without the masts, there is more room for the games decks.

A timely underlining of maritime progress on these lines occurred when to the Orient Line was accorded a great honour for so small a fleet. The Orcades was chosen to lead the Merchant Navy vessels through the Fleet at the Coronation Review.

Many wealthy Australians are travelling on the Orcades including retired professional men, business men and sheep farmers.

Local shops are expecting to do a roaring trade with the Australians who are regarded similarly as people who spend on the same lavish scale as Americans.

### Told Him Later

Questioned about the \$100 she had borrowed from her husband on the day she was first allegedly threatened by the accused, Mrs. Keung said she told her husband that "a customer" had requested to borrow money from her.

She continued that she usually gave reasons for borrowing money from her husband but when she was in urgent need, she would tell her husband the reasons later.

She added that on this occasion, she had told her husband later of a blackmail in connection with the girl, Siu Fung-kwan.

"The last I saw of the man was that he was lying exhausted on the deck of the motorboat".

When the cry "man overboard" went up the ferry stopped. A passenger who saw the man fall overboard told the China Mail later: "I saw him swim quite strongly for about 30 yards."

Then a motorboat named George Bling, No. 9, came to the rescue and picked him up.

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In charge of the donation centre was Mrs. C. H. H. Coles, of

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